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Dear Mr. Simon:

We respectfully request permission to publish in our forthcoming May issue of Freedom & Union the enclosed excerpts from Dr. Joshua Lederberg's column entitled In Deflecting Hurricanes, Where Do We Aim Them? which appeared in the Post on May 16.

In conformance with your policy, we are enclosing also a recent issue of our magazine for your review. (The Washington Post does appear on our press list, however, to get the magazine every month.)

Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

M. A. Pappas

Assistant to Clarence K. Streit

Enc. a/s

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I am very happy to extend this permission, (which I have the authority to do.) May I ask, however, that you add the lines marked on the attached copy, which unfortunately did not appear in some editions, and which I believe are needed for a balanced view of the problem.

My best regards to Mr. Streit

Sinverely,

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